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## Education

### *Representation of the Aided Schools Managers' Association in the Kistna District Educational Council.*

\* 1357 Q.—MR. A. KALESWARA RAO: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) whether the Government have received representations from the Aided Schools Managers' Association, Kistna district, to grant them the privilege of electing some members to the District Educational Council; and

(b) whether the Government intend to give them the representation requested?

A.—(a) Yes.

(b) The question is under consideration.

### *Admission of Adi-Dravidas in Brahmapuram and Allinjakupam elementary schools.*

\* 1358 Q.—MR. V. I. MUNISWAMI PILLAI: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) whether he is aware that Adi-Dravida pupils are not admitted in the elementary schools at Brahmapuram and Allinjakupam of Gudiyattam taluk maintained by the District Board of North Arcot; and

(b) if the answer is in the affirmative, what action he proposes to take to have such public institutions open to all pupils irrespective of caste and creed?

A.—(a) & (b) The Government have no information. A report will be called for.

### *Opening of elementary schools in South Kanara and Malabar.*

\* 1359 Q.—MR. J. A. SALDANHA: With reference to my question No. 199, dated 26th August 1927, will the hon. the Minister for Education and Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) the several elementary schools opened by the local boards of Malabar as also South Kanara during the last five years at their own cost or taken over by them;

(b) the distance at which each of them lies from a corresponding private recognized school; and

(c) why such a school was opened by the boards if the distance between it and the private school was within a short distance, say, a mile?

A.—(a), (b) & (c) The information received from the taluk boards in the Malabar and South Kanara districts is placed on the table.<sup>a</sup>